

A Distributed Approach to Data Sharing:

DSSTox Public Toxicity Database Network

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Agency Problem:

- Too many chemicals to test
- Lack of sufficient and relevant data

Prioritize and focus limited resources on chemicals and problem areas estimated to pose greatest potential hazard

Inerts

TSCA/PMN

HPV Testing Pgm

Water
CCL

Endocrine Disruption
Testing Program

Pesticides



Computational Toxicology:

The application of mathematical and computer models and molecular biological approaches to improve EPA's

- prioritization of data requirements
- risk assessments

Chemicals
of concern

Gather
relevant
information

Develop
and apply
models

Perform
extrapolations

Inform risk
assessment

Chemistry-based Data Mining & Exploration:

Chemical(s)
of concern

*Chemical-
specific
data*

*Structural
analogs*

*Property
analogs*

*Biological/
mechanistic
analogs*

Structure-Activity Relationships



Structure-Activity Relationships (SAR):

$$\text{Activity} = f(\text{structure})$$

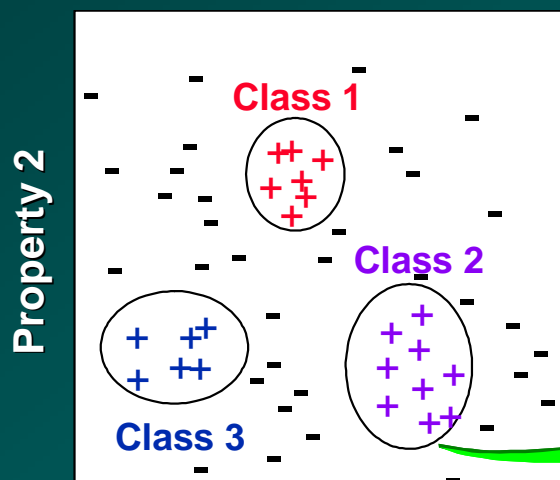
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Heuristics

Machine-Learning Inference

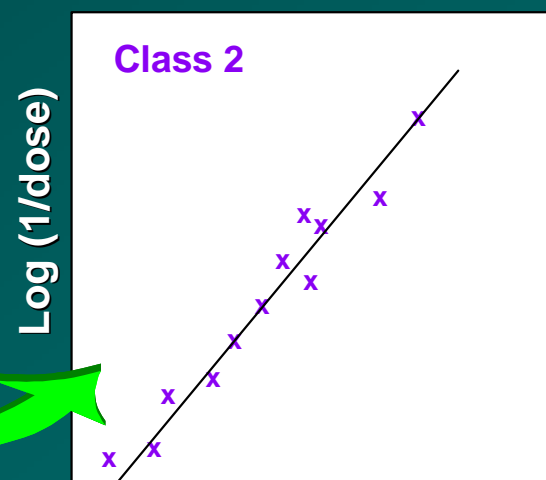
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SAR Classification



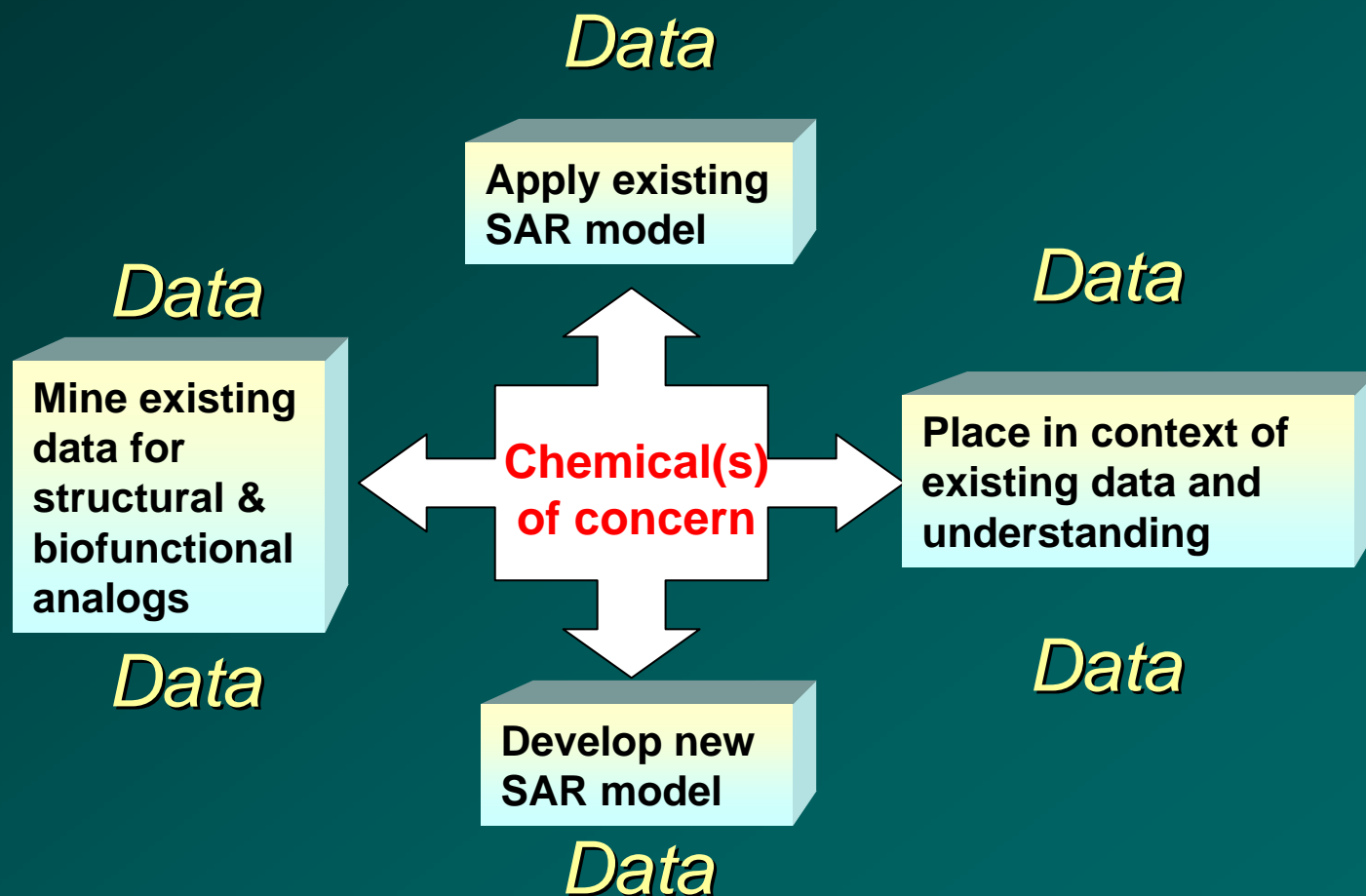
Property 1

QSAR Correlation



Property

Structure-based Screening & Prioritization:



Limitations of Public Toxicity Data for Use in SAR:

- Scattered sources
- Non-standard formats
- Diverse information content
- Lack of chemical structure annotation
- Cannot access full database

Chemical structures &
standardization

*Improved
coordination,
collaborations*

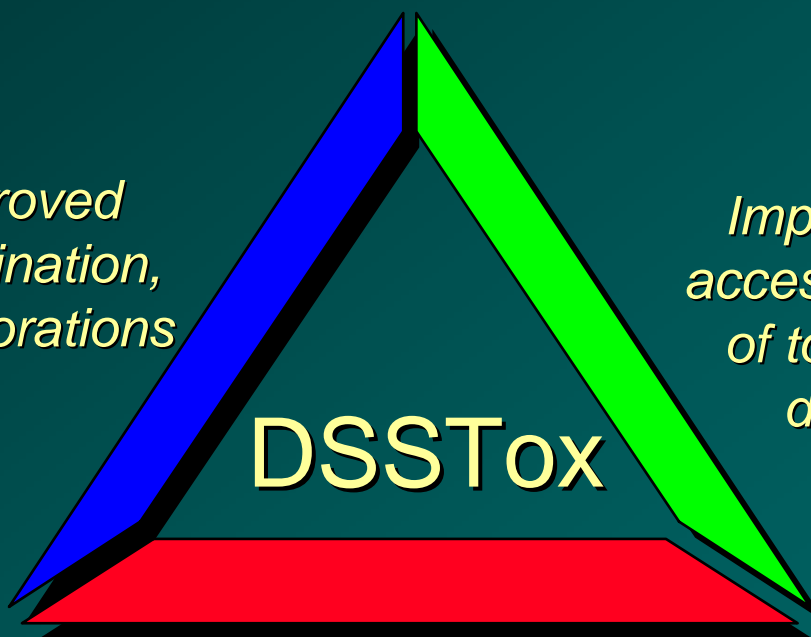
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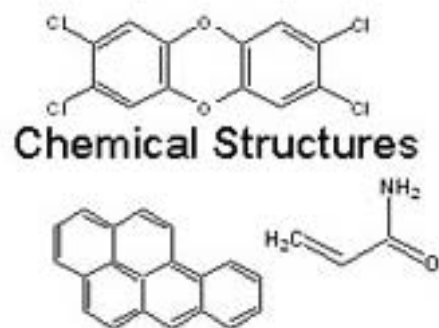
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Open public
access &
partnerships

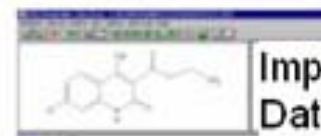
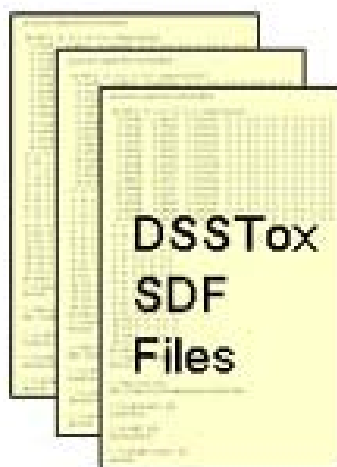
*Improved toxicity
prediction models*

Bridging
diverse toxicity
disciplines





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Structural
Analog
Searching

Improved
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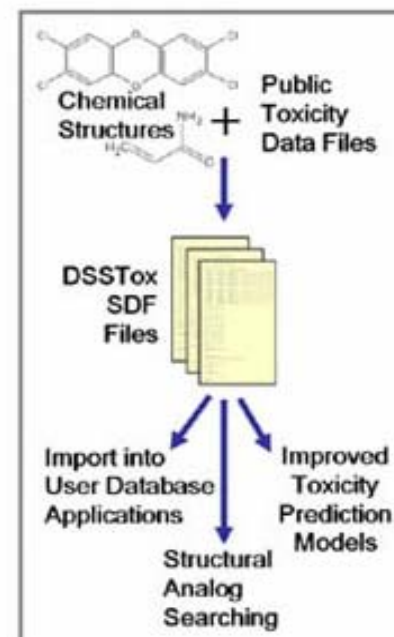
The Distributed Structure-Searchable Toxicity (DSSTox) Database Network provides a community forum for publishing standard format, structure-annotated chemical toxicity data files for open public access. Project goals are to:

- Encourage use of [DSSTox Standard Chemical Structure Fields](#) and [SDF](#) standard format files for publishing chemical toxicity databases;
- [Coordinate with outside public efforts](#) to encourage chemical structure annotation, data standardization, and open public access to toxicity databases;
- [Involve the user community](#) in the effort to migrate more public toxicity data into the DSSTox standardized format for publishing;
- Provide full, open access to toxicity data files for structure-analog searching and for facilitating development of improved models for predicting toxicity based on chemical structure.

Distributed: Decentralized set of standardized, field-delimited databases, each separately authored and maintained, that are able to accommodate diverse chemical toxicity data content;

Structure-Searchable: Standard format ([SDF](#)) structure-data files that can be readily imported into available [Chemical Relational Databases](#) and structure-searched;

Tox: Toxicity data as it exists in widely disparate forms in current public databases, spanning diverse toxicity endpoints, test systems, levels of biological content, degrees of summarization, and information content.



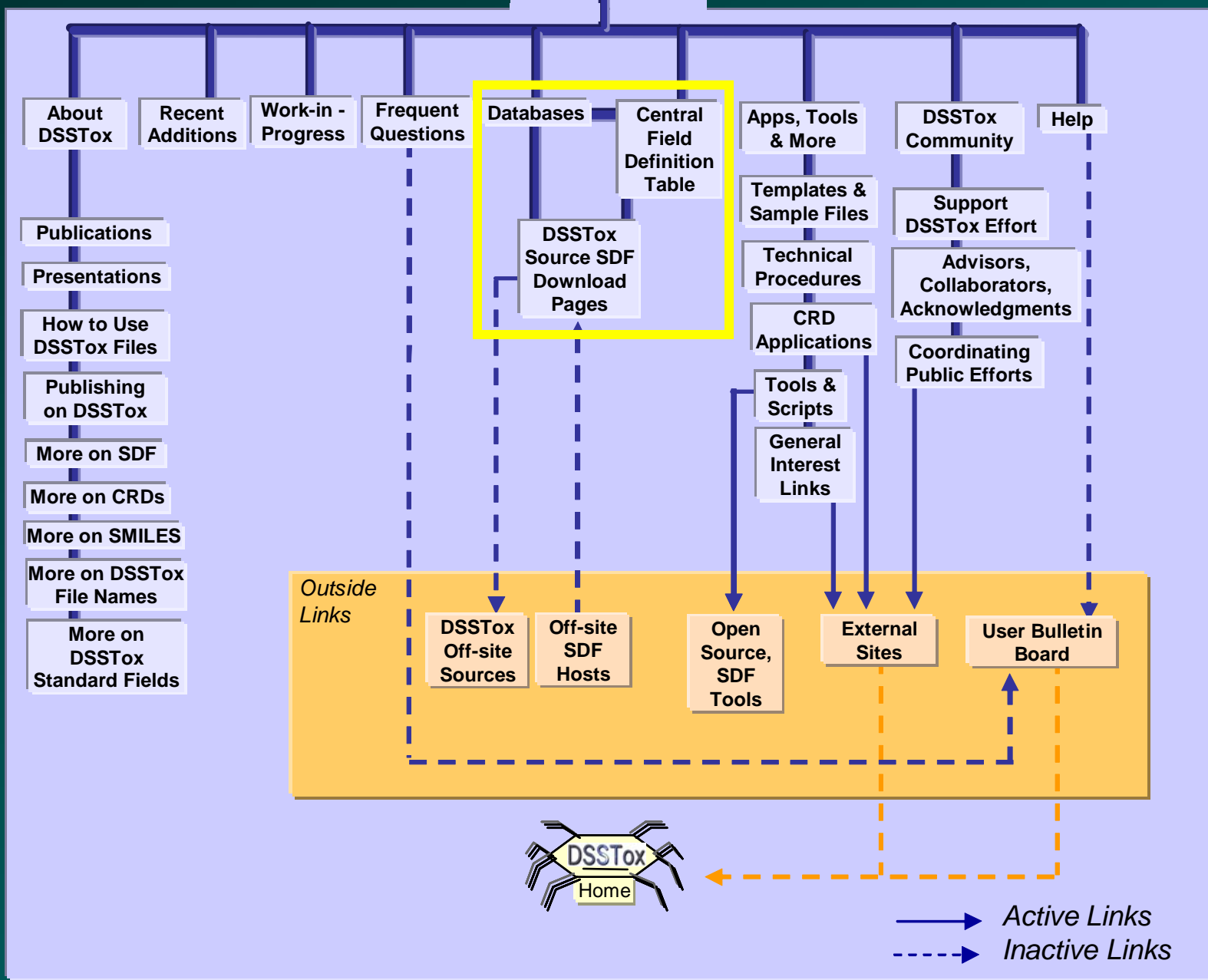
[DSSTox Graphic Flowchart](#)

Current Database Offerings:

[CPDBRM](#), [CPDBHA](#), [CPDBDG](#), [CPDBPR*](#)
[DBPCAN](#)
[EPAFHM](#)
[NCTRR](#)

* CPDBPR last updated 29Mar04

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- **CPDBRM, CPDBHA, CPDBDO, CPDBPR:** [Carcinogenic Potency Database Summary Tables for Rat&Mouse, Hamster, Dog, and Non-human Primates](#)

Tumor target site incidence and TD50 potencies for 1354 chemical substances tested in rats and mouse, 80 chemical substances tested in hamsters, 5 chemicals tested in dogs, and 27 chemical substances tested in non-human primates; data reviewed and compiled from literature and NTP studies.
(SDF last updated 15Oct03)

- **DBPCAN:** [Water Disinfection By-Products Database with Carcinogenicity Estimates](#)

Carcinogenicity estimates (high, moderate, low concern) by EPA experts using a mechanism-based analog SAR approach on a set of 209 water disinfection by-products, mostly small halogenated organics.
(SDF last updated 12Sep03)

- **EPAFHM:** [EPA Fathead Minnow Aquatic Toxicity Database](#)

Acute toxicities of 617 chemicals tested in common assay, with mode-of-action assessments and confirmatory measures.
(SDF last updated 15Oct03)

- **NCTRER:** [FDA's National Center for Toxicological Research - Estrogen Receptor Binding Database](#)

Estrogen receptor relative binding affinities tested in a common in vitro assay for 232 chemicals, listed with chemical class-based structure activity features.
(SDF last updated 7Nov03)

[Source SDF Download Page](#)

DSSTox Source SDF Download

NCITER: National Center for Toxicological Research Estrogen Receptor Binding Database

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Field Definition File

D8.8 Task Field Definition File

Carcinogenic Potency Database Summary Tables (CPDBSM, CPDBS, CPDBS,
CPDBF)
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How to apply: Information on the Swiss Confederation provides comprehensive guidance regarding various issues of COE member states. Please contact the COE Secretariat at secretariat@coe.int for any COE-related information, application procedures, legal assistance or further to National authorities that have to be communicated at National level.

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DS ST ox SDF File

QUESTION: Which of the following is NOT a function of the endoplasmic reticulum?

ANSWERS:

- A. synthesis of proteins
- B. synthesis of lipids
- C. storage of calcium ions
- D. synthesis of ribosomes

ANSWER: D. synthesis of ribosomes

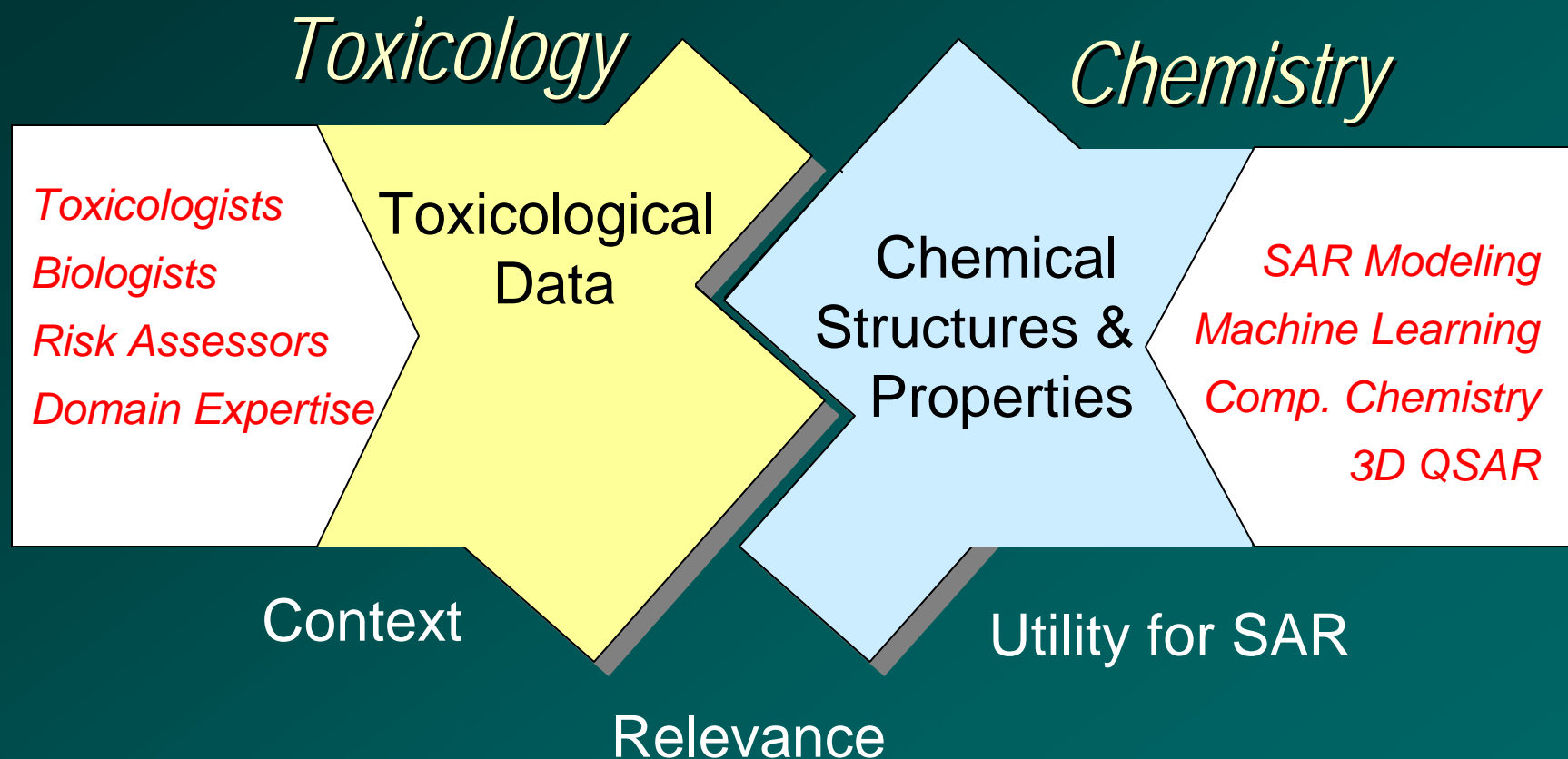
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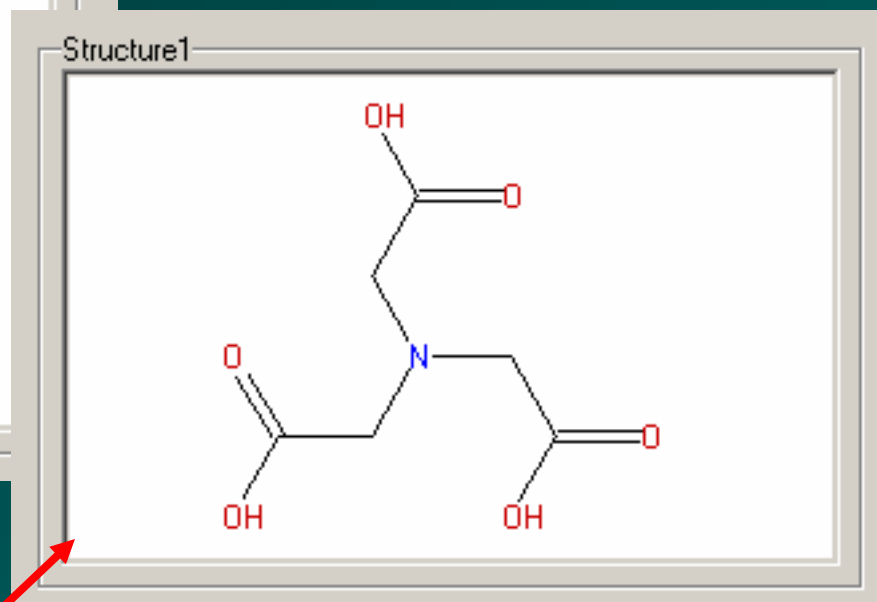
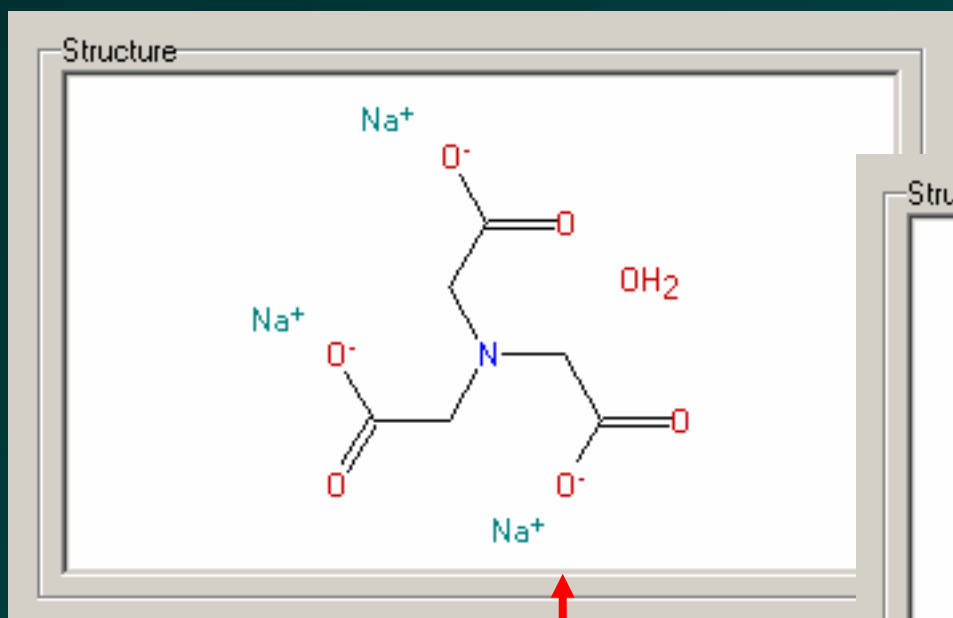


DSSTox Toxicity Database Standards:

- Data file format (SDF)
- File naming convention
- Chemical structure information fields
- Documentation requirements
- Publishing requirements

DSSTox Standard Chemical Fields:

- Structure *2D chemical structure*
- StructureShown *Description of displayed 2D structure*
 - *tested form, simplified to parent, predicted form, active ingredient of formulation, general form*
- Formula *Empirical molecular formula*
- MolWeight *Molecular weight in atomic units*
- CAS *Chem Abstracts Service No. for StructureShown*
- SMILES *Linear text notation for 2D StructureShown*
- DSSTox_ID *Counter allows unique identification of record*
- DSSTox_FileName *Name of file included in each record*
- ChemName *Chemical name from original data base*
- SubstanceType *Broad substance classification*
 - *defined organic, inorganic, organometallic, polymer, mixture or unknown*
- TestedForm *Tested form of chemical*
 - *parent, salt, complex, unknown or multiple forms*
- AddToParent *Salt counterions or complexed moieties*
- CAS_TestForm *CAS No. for tested form of chemical*
- SMILES_TestForm *SMILES code for the tested form of the chemical*
- ChemNote *Additional qualifier info for chemical fields*
 - *defined mixture characteristics, uncertainty in structure or CAS, stereochem, replicate, etc.*
- ChemCount *Counter for structure or CAS duplications in db*



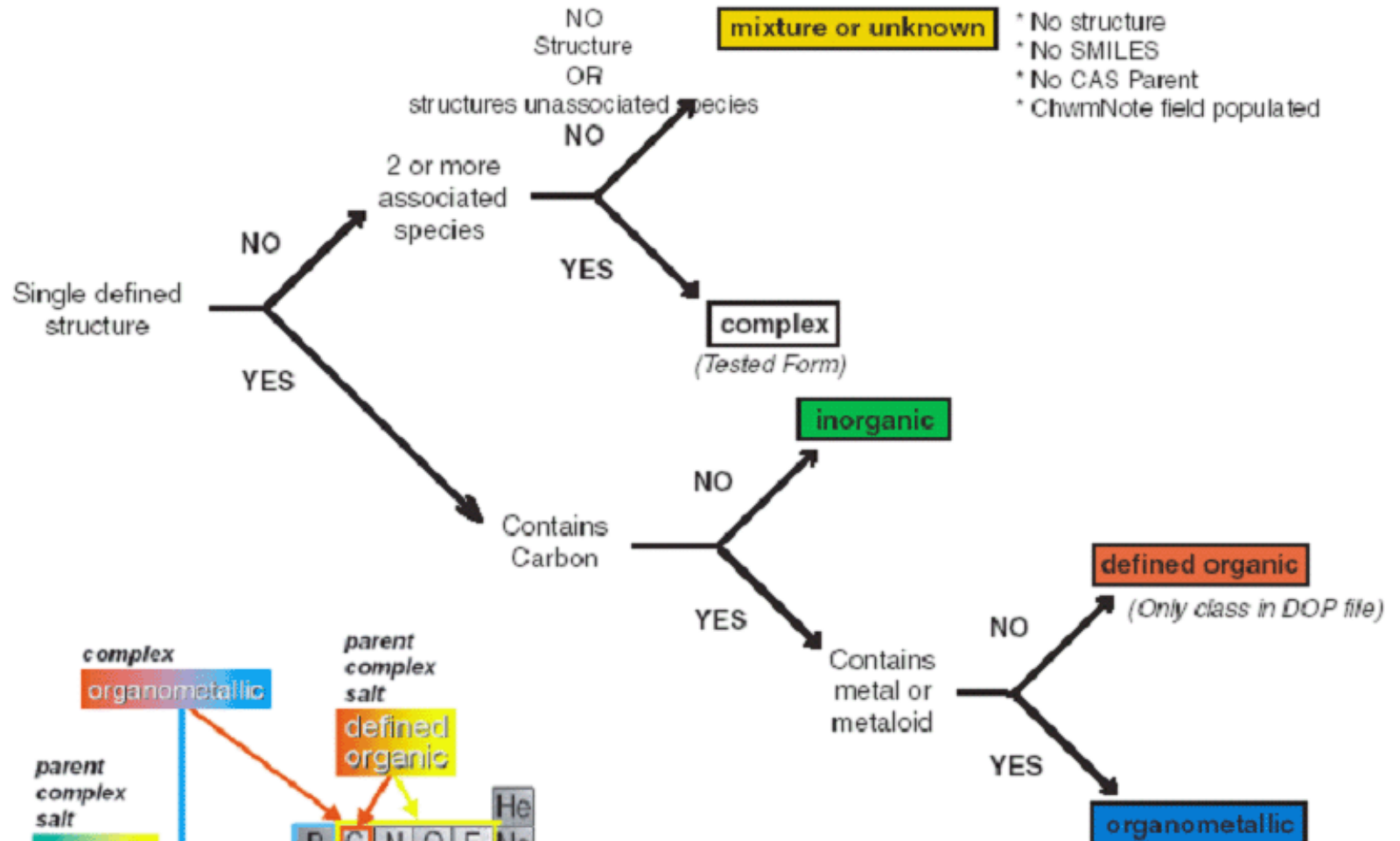
StructureShown

Tested form
Simplified to parent
General form
Active ingredient of formulation
Monomer of polymeric form

Linked-content fields

CAS
SMILES
Formula
MolWt

Substance Type



complex salt

inorganic

metals

metalloids

salts

Integrating Diverse Databases from a Chemical Structure Perspective:

CPDB

DBPCAN

EPAFHM

NCTRER

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Standard Chemical Fields

SAL CPDB

TD50 Rat

TD50Mouse

**Target Sites
Rat Male**

**Target Sites
Rat Female**

**Target Sites
Mouse Male**

....

Other Species

ChemClass DBP

Concern Level

Rationale

Rational Source

**Analog
ChemName**

AnalogCAS

AnalogSMILES

ChemClass FHM

MOA

MOACONF

CLOGP

LC50

LC50NOTE

LC50RATIO

MIXMOA

TOXINDEX

FATS

BEHAVIOR

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**Activity Group
ERB**

**Rationale
ChemClass ERB**

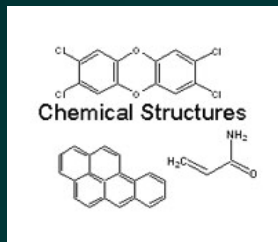
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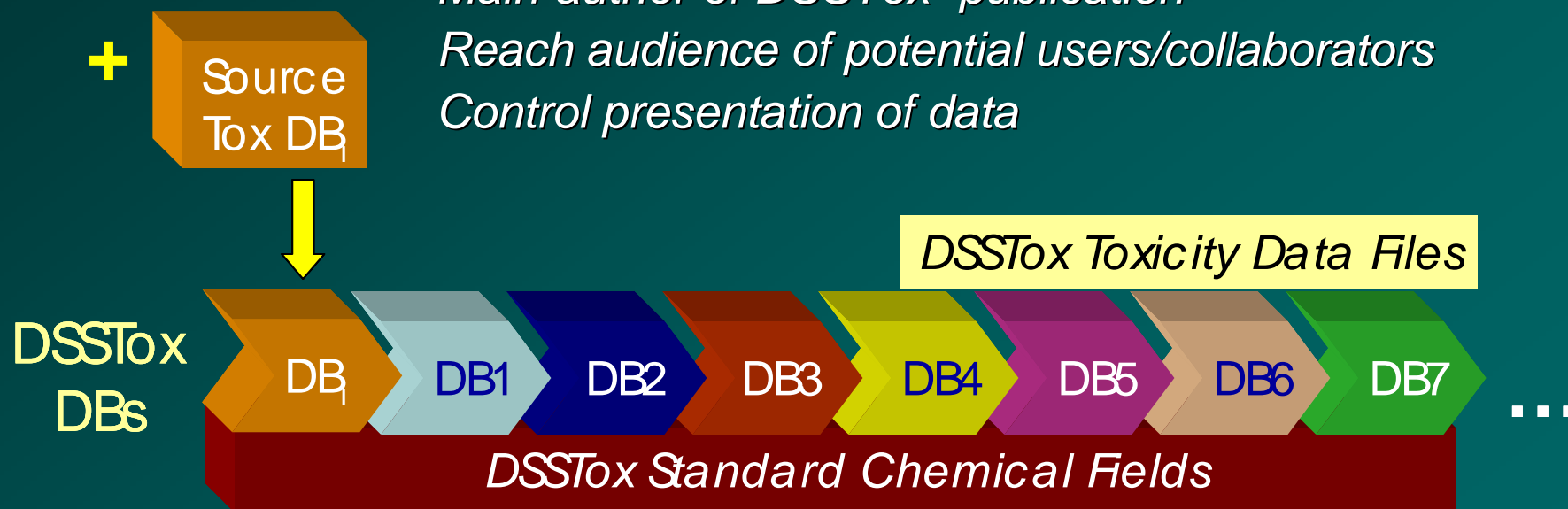
DSSTox Project Feasibility:

Direct Benefits to Data Source Collaborators



Chemical structure annotation
Construct standardized DSSTox data file

Main-author of DSSTox “publication”
Reach audience of potential users/collaborators
Control presentation of data



Source DB can now be linked with DSSTox DB library and structure searched.

DSSTox Database Network:

- How can DSSTox files be used?
- What's next?

Begin to incorporate standard tox fields (ToXML)

CPDB

DBPCAN

EPAFHM

NCTRER

....

Standard Chemical Fields

Standard Tox Fields: species, sex, strain, assay, dose

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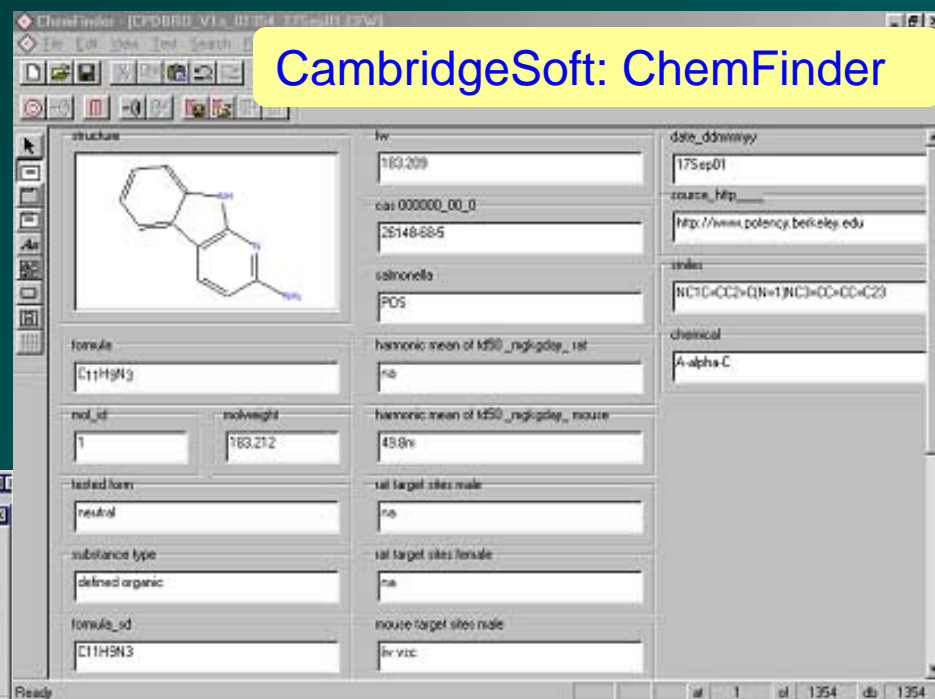
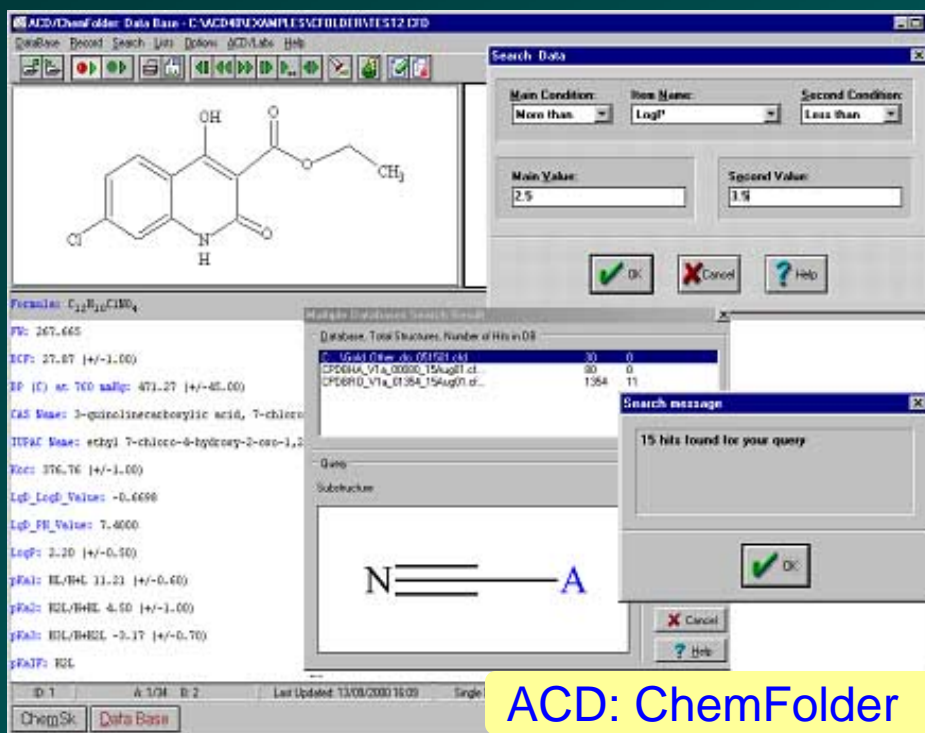
Migrate More Public Toxicity Data into DSSTox Standard Format: Phase II, III, ...

- FDA Max Recommended Therapeutic Dose - Pharmaceuticals
- NCTR Androgen, Thyroid, and Endocrine Disruption Databases
- NTP Rodent carcinogenicity bioassays, subchronic bioassays, developmental, repro, immuno, etc.
- ICVAM databases on LD50, skin sensitization, local lymph node assay, skin corrosivity, endocrine disruption, etc
- EPA pesticide ecotoxicity database
- Developmental toxicity database (literature – FDA, TOPKAT)
- UniLever Skin Sensitization database
- EPA's High Production Volume (HPV) chemical data
- EPA's Integrated Risk Information System (IRIS)

Chemical Relational Databases: *Exploration across toxicological domains and structural/biological axes*

Accord
Oracle
ISIS
ChemFolder
ChemFinder
LeadScope
BioRad

CambridgeSoft: ChemFinder



Freeware SDF Viewer Application

Non-EPA on-line structure searching

EPA on-line structure searching

Coordinating Public Efforts:



- ACD/Labs (Advanced Chemistry Development) ChemFolder Public Databases
- Cambridge-Soft's ChemFinder.Com Chemical Search Website
- FDA (Food & Drug Administration) Center for Drug Evaluation & Research
- ILSI (International Life Sciences Institute) SAR Toxicity Database Project, in collaboration with LHASA, Lmt.LIST (LeadScope In Silico Tox) Focus Group
- LIST (LeadScope In Silico Tox) Focus Group
- MGED: MIAMI-Tox
- NCI (National Cancer Institute) Public Data Outreach – Structure Web Browser
- NIEHS's National Center for Toxicogenomics
- NLM (National Library of Medicine) TOXNET
- NTP (National Toxicology Program) On-line Public Databases
- SRC (Syracuse Research Corporation) PBT-Profiler and Analog Search Tools

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Database & Internet Searching

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Enter a Chemical Name, CAS Number, Molecular Formula or Weight.
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Search

NCI Structure-Browser

Database status: 256521 open structures ready for searching.

Read [Drug Data Explorer](#) for background, constraints and operations (and CC0 to [Maximize](#) if you like).

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Formula

Molecular Weight Range

☐ All molecules

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AND ☒ OR ☐ XOR ☐

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Advanced Chemistry Development

ISSCentral – Freeware CRD

SEdit - Desktop Molecular Database

SOEfit provides an environment for working with any size SD file. Basic operations like loading, searching, sorting, filtering are made simple. More complex operations like combining the results of multiple SSS operations are also possible. SSS offers SOEfit as freeware for those seeking a highly mobile molecular visualization and querying system.

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Chemistry 3D Viewer: 3D Viewer (360)

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Persistent, Bioaccumulative, and Toxic Profiles Estimated
for Organic Chemicals On-Line

PBT Profiler
A Component of OPPT's
P2 Framework
*Assessing Chemicals in
the Absence of Data*

Collaboration with NIEHS/National Center for Toxicogenomics: *Chemical Effects in Biological System Knowledge-Base (CEBS)*

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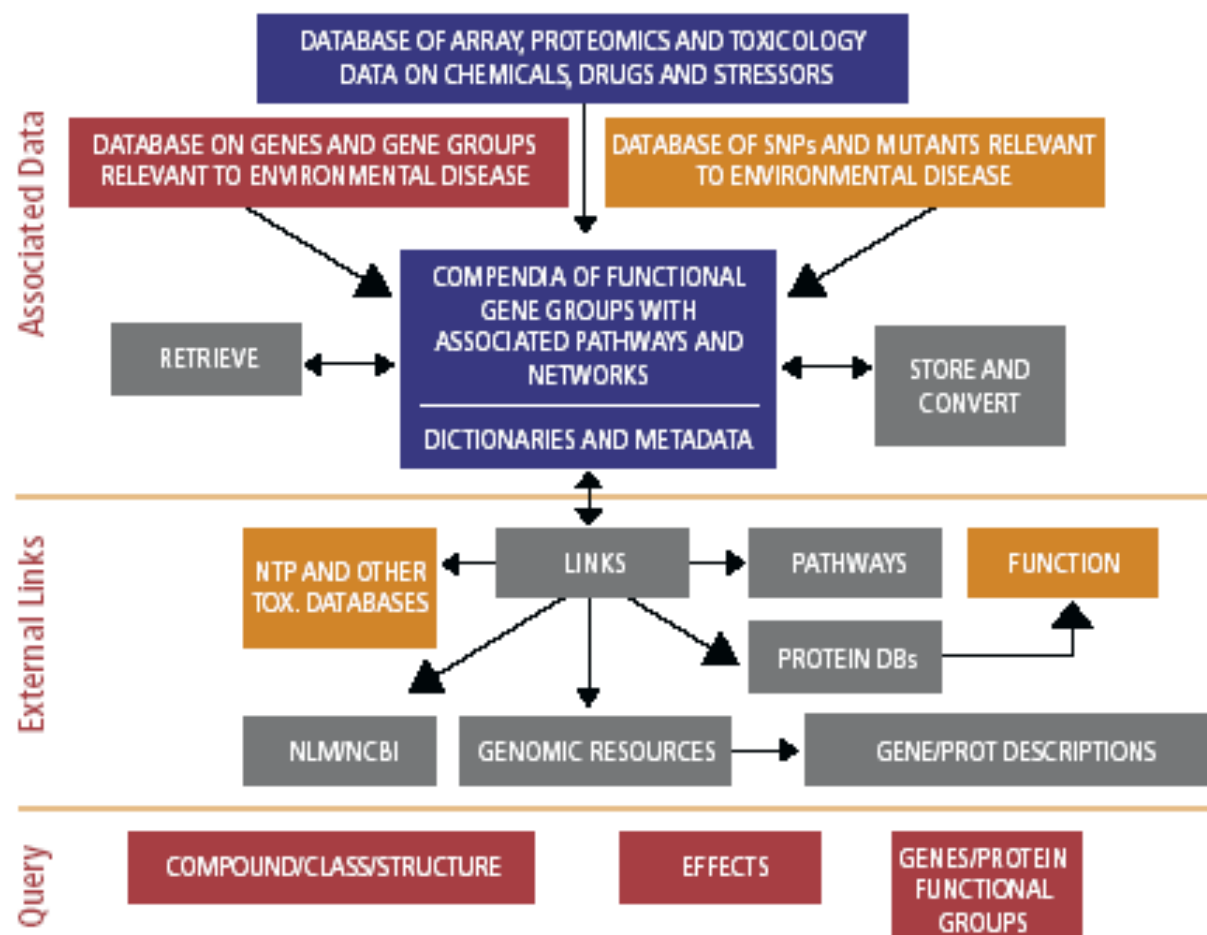
Gene
Pathways

Gene
Function

Proteomics

Historical
Toxicity data

CEBS Vision - Bioinformatics to Knowledge



Collaboration with NIEHS/National Center for Toxicogenomics: *Chemical Effects in Biological System Knowledge-Base (CEBS)*

DSSTox +

Gene
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DSSTox Toxicity Data Files

Historical
Toxicity data

DB1

DB2

DB3

DB4

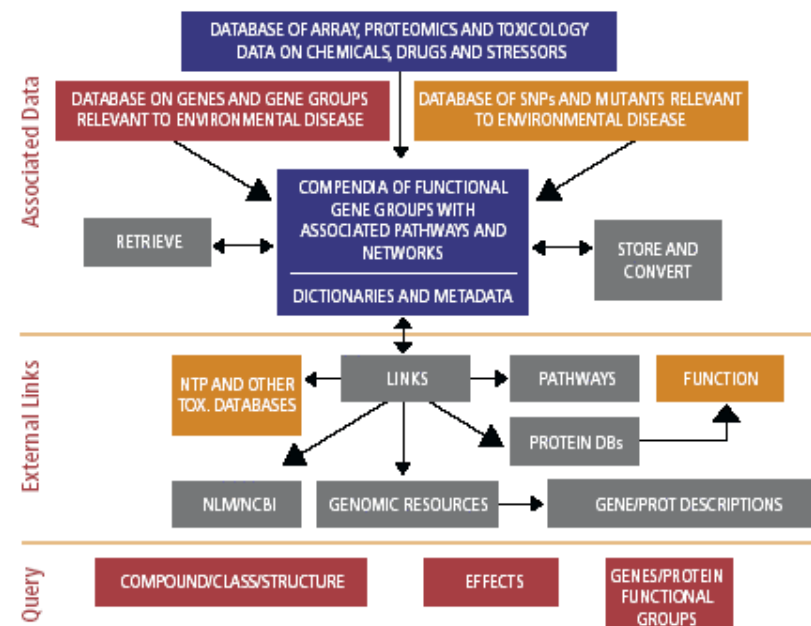
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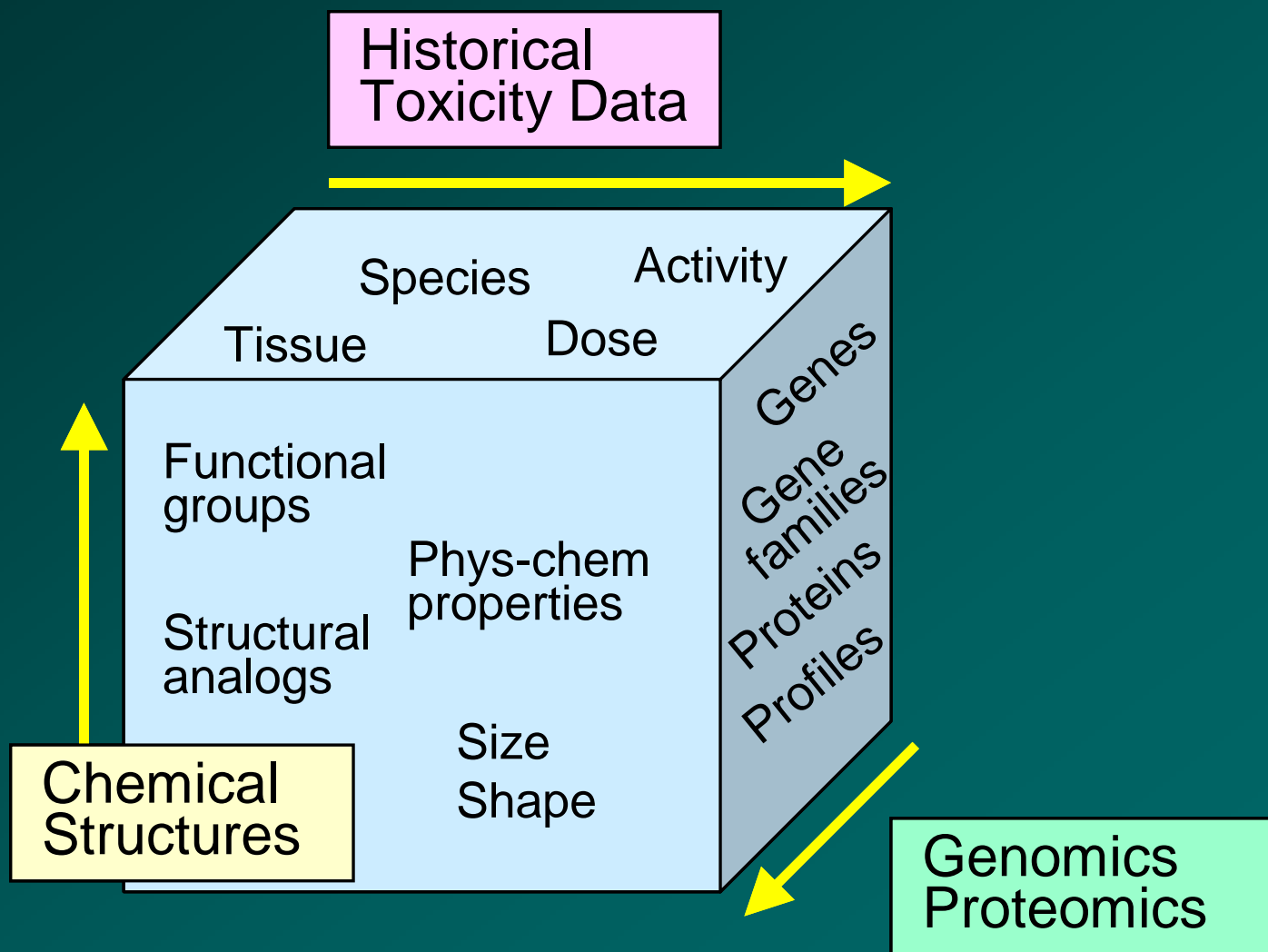
DSSTox Standard Chemical Fields

CEBS Vision - Bioinformatics to Knowledge



Chemo-bioinformatics:

Expanded Relational Search Domains



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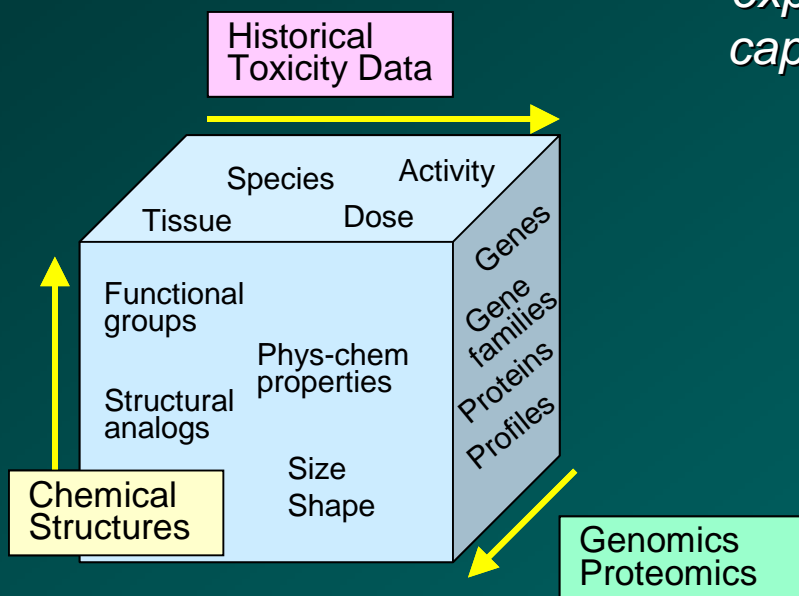
- Structural Annotation
- File standardization
- Standardized fields
- Documentation
- Quality review

*Improved
data
exploration
capabilities*

Relational searching
capability across
information domains

*Improved
biofunctional
classifications*

Improved
SAR
models



*Adoption of DSSTox
data/file standards*

*Improved public
access to
toxicity data*

*Increased use
of chemical
structure
searching*

DSSTox

*Improved toxicity
predictions*



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